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THE CAPITAL.

The Naval Practice Squadron—Eastern District U. S. District Attorney—The Riot Case—Picked up at Sea—Land Survey in Montana.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 18, 1868.
MILITARY AND NAVAL.
Brevet Lieut. Col. James M. Caldwell, retired, has, by direction of the President, and in accordance with the act of Congress of July 28th, 1868, been detailed as Professor of Military Science at Kentucky University at Lexington.

Major E. W. Donnell, Judge Advocate, has been ordered to report without delay to Gen. Sherman.
Intelligence has been received here of the arrival of the United States steamer Macedonia, from the naval practice squadron at Annapolis, yesterday afternoon, after a passage of twenty-six days from Funchal, Madeira, all well.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.
The General Exports submitted to the Cabinet to-day his opinion in the matter of the United States District Attorneyship of Pennsylvania. Mr. Everts decided that the office is vacant and the President can appoint a successor. Mr. Gilpin, the present incumbent, it is understood that the President will appoint Mr. O'Neill, who was nominated for that office during the session of the Senate, but whose nomination was not acted upon before the adjournment of the Senate.

LAND OFFICE.
The Commissioner of the General Land Office has received returns of the survey of one additional township in Lewis and Clark county in Montana, just north of Helena, embracing an area of twenty-two thousand nine hundred and seventy-two acres. The soil is well adapted to agriculture and farming purposes. Nearly all the land in the southern part of the tract is obtained by actual settlers. There are no indications of minerals observed in the township.

GAUGERS AND STOREKEEPERS.
The following appointments of gaugers under the Internal Revenue Law were made to-day: Charles E. Dunham, Boston; Morris Angerstein, New York City; Chester J. Moore, Philadelphia.

The following appointments of storekeepers were made: John T. Slater, Fifth District; Henry Geo. A. Everett, First District of Maryland.

THE RIOT CASE.
The examination of Colored Zouaves for rioting a week ago, while a company of them from Georgetown were on their way to the Capitol, in connection with the remains of the late General Stevens, has been concluded. Three were fined for disorderly conduct, and sixteen others were ordered to give from three to five hundred dollars bail for a further hearing at the court.

PICKED UP AT SEA.
The United States Consul at London reports that John Y. Munson, of Calais, Maine, and John O'Brien, of Rockport, New York, have been brought to that port, having been picked up at sea about forty miles southwest of the Island of Nevis. Their vessel, the Steamer Port Washington, was lost on the coral reefs near Bermuda.

HAVER SYSTEM.
By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of officers will assemble at the Washington Arsenal on the first day of September next, or as soon thereafter as practicable, for the purpose of testing the Haver system in the company of cannon.

Receipts of customs from August 10th to 15th inclusive, were \$3,669,362.

WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS.

Assemblage of Distinguished Personages—Meeting between Generals Rosecrans and Robert E. Lee.
(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)
GENERAL BIAH, of West Virginia, arrived here on Saturday, August 21, 1868.

General Robert E. Lee arrived and was received with great enthusiasm. Governor Pickens, General Leitch, Ex-Secretary of the Interior Stuart, Generals Eckols, J. R. Anderson, Linton and Stephens are among the late arrivals. Secretary Brown has engaged to be present, and will arrive on Saturday. Generals Ewell and Longstreet will arrive to-morrow night. A great number of railroad officials are present, and the meeting will be of great importance to the country. General Rosecrans was outspoken on the cars in re-bell will be given on Tuesday next in honor of the distinguished visitor.

Banquet to Chinese Embassy at Boston.
(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)
Boston, August 24.—The banquet given to the Chinese Embassy at the St. James Hotel to-night by members of the city government, was an elegant and interesting affair. Mayor Shurtleiff presided. Governor Bullock spoke on the part of the State.
Hon. Chas. Sumner spoke at considerable length, pronouncing a warm eulogy upon Mr. Burlingame.

Messrs. E. Whipple, Charles G. Nazra and others made addresses.

Collision of Freight Trains.
(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)
POTTSVILLE, August 21.—About three o'clock this morning the extra freight train bound North, and the through freight train bound South on the Hudson River Railroad, collided at Fort Montgomery, in consequence of a misplaced switch. The locomotive of the extra train was a total wreck; two cars were upset and three demolished. One man was badly cut in the legs.

Gold Shipped from California.
(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)
SAN FRANCISCO, August 21.—The U. S. San Francisco shipper half a million coin to New York yesterday by the Opposition steamer, making a total since January 1st of seven millions, an excess of a million and a half over total thus shipped in 1867.

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